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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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: Group Art Unit: 2155
Application No.: 10/081,839)
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: For: NETWORK INTERFACE)
: APPARATUS, IMAGE)
: PROCESSING APPARATUS,)
: DATA PROVIDING)
: METHOD, AND PROGRAM) July 6, 2005

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Sir:

Further to the Information Disclosure Statement that was filed in the above-identified application on June 28, 2005 (along with the requisite \$180.00 fee), enclosed is a complete English-language translation of JP 11-134140 which was cited therein.

The Examiner is urged to study the enclosed information in its entirety and to form an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing the appropriate portion of a Form PTO-1449. A copy of the Form PTO-1449 that was submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed for the Examiner's convenience.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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